

NOTICE

OPEN HOUSE PUBLIC INFORMATIONAL MEETING REGARDING ILLINOIS ROUTE 71 FROM U.S. ROUTE 34 SOUTHWESTERLY TO ORCHARD/MINKLER ROAD IN OSWEGO

TUESDAY

JULY 15, 2003

4 PM TO 7 PM

TO BE HELD AT THE OSWEGO HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA

(NO FORMAL PRESENTATION)

THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, DISTRICT 3 OFFICE, WILL CONDUCT AN OPEN HOUSE INFORMATIONAL MEETING REGARDING THE PROPOSED WIDENING OF ILLINOIS ROUTE 71 TO A FOUR THROUGH LANE CURB AND GUTTER URBAN PAVEMENT SECTION, FROM U.S. ROUTE 34 SOUTHWESTERLY 2.5 MILES TO ORCHARD/MINKLER ROAD. ADDITIONAL LEFT TURN LANES WILL BE PROVIDED, WHERE APPROPRIATE. THE TWO LANES SERVING EACH DIRECTION OF TRAFFIC WILL BE SEPARATED BY A FLUSH MEDIAN BETWEEN U.S. ROUTE 34 AND WASHINGTON STREET/PLAINFIELD ROAD. A RAISED MEDIAN WILL BE CONSTRUCTED BETWEEN WASHINGTON STREET/PLAINFIELD ROAD AND ORCHARD/MINKLER ROADS. CONSTRUCTION OF STORM SEWER AND SIDEWALK IS PROPOSED WITHIN THE PROJECT LIMITS AND TRAFFIC SIGNALS WILL BE INSTALLED OR IMPROVED WHERE APPROPRIATE. ADDITIONAL RIGHT OF WAY WILL BE REQUIRED.

IDOT PERSONNEL WILL BE AVAILABLE TO ADDRESS QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS CITIZENS MAY HAVE ABOUT THE PROJECT. RELATED EXHIBITS, MAPS, AND PLANS WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC REVIEW. THERE WILL BE NO FORMAL PRESENTATION.

DISABLED PERSONS PLANNING TO ATTEND THIS MEETING, WHO ARE IN NEED OF SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS, SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER OR OTHER SIMILAR ASSISTANCE, SHOULD NOTIFY THE DISTRICT ENGINEER. WRITE TO THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, 700 EAST NORRIS DRIVE, OTTAWA, ILLINOIS 61350 (FAX 815/434-8553) OR TELEPHONE 815/434-8469 (TDD NUMBER 815/434-6164) SO REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS CAN BE MADE.